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Company: SunZia Transmission, LLC

**Nature Of Opinion**

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Docket Position: Against

The San Pedro River Valley is one of the last great riparian areas in the Southwest and is guaranteed to be adversely affected by the Sun Zia project. The route and scale of the project are completely outlandish and unnecessary. In the words of the Cascabel Working Group (whose completely sound and sober assessment is at <http://www.cascabelworkinggroup.org/SZHighRisk.html>), "Policy makers must decide which is more practical and secure: (1) building 500- or 1000-mile-long extra-high-voltages transmission lines to deliver distant-generated power, inevitably across sensitive lands in some areas, or (2) building needed generation closer to load, much of it on a smaller, more distributed scale, and using shorter, more local transmission lines to deliver power. This choice depends strongly on economic and security considerations, not upon the need for power generated at great distances." Please consult their excellent report. Oppose this expensive and environmentally insane project. -MKH

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